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Appropriate changes have been made to claims to overcome '112 objections.

Claims 7, 9, 10 and 12 have been made independent and should now be formally allowable, in view of ¶5 of the Action.

Base claims 1 and 13 have been amended to include subject matter which, in the totality of each claim, clearly defines unobviously over the cited art, whereby each of claims 1 and 13, and all claims dependent therefrom should now be formally allowable. In this regard, Toti's line 178 is coupled to cones, as at 176 and not to any primary lines ''at the same location whereby the secondary line defines a continuation of each primary line'' as set forth in each of claims 1 and 13. In Toti's elements 186 and 188 appear to be sprockets (col. 19, line 67 and col. 20, line 1), not lines, as referred to in the Action. Toti's line 178 is not connected to two other lines, at the same location, and he does not suggest that, nor would Toti motivate same. Other art is even less suggestive. Applicants' structure has simplicity and

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effectiveness not suggested by Toti.

In view of the above, allowance is believed justified and is respectfully solicited. Please charge any necessary fees to our Deposit Account 08-0118.

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